that your Assembly is prorogued to July without granting Supplies.

As no Forces are likely to be raised in Maryland I beg leave to recommend to you Majors Jemmison and Armstrong for liberty to beat up for Volunteers in your Province for the Pennsylvania Regiment which is to consist of the same number as last Year that is Two Thousand seven hundred Effective Men Officers included.

I shall at all Times be glad to give the same Liberty to any Officers you shall please to send here on the Same Service in behalf of your Province. I am, Sir,

your most obedient humble servant William Denny

His Excellency Governor Sharp.

Letter Bk. III

[Sharpe to Fauquier.]

18th May 1759-

Sir

In a Letter which I have just now received from General Stanwix he desires me to forward to you the inclosed Letters & to beg the favour of you to forward those of them that are not addressed to Yourself. At the same time I do myself the honour to acknowledge the Receit of Your Lett^r by M^r Walker in Compliance with which I have wrote to D^r Ross who had the Care of Victualling our Troops at Fort Cumberland & have desired him to account wth M^r Walker for the Provisions that were left there when the Virg^a Troops evacuated that post in April 1757 & which were afterwards served out to the Maryland Provincials & I hope these Gentlⁿ will settle the Affair to the Satisfaction of all Parties—

Letter Bk. IV P. 37 [Sharpe to Baltimore.]

4th of Iune 1759-

My Ld

By this Opportunity I have transmitted to the honble Mr Calvert a Petition & a Copy of an Alien's Bill to be laid before Your Ldp & have desired him to communicate to me Your Ldp's Pleasure on the latter if he possibly can before the Assembly shall again meet which I imagine they will scarcely p. 38 do before next Feby unless I shall before that time receive particular Orders to call them together. Since I addressed myself to Your Ldp the 19th of April Nothing worthy Notice has happened in this Province but we lately received Advice from the Westward that about a fortnight ago as one Capt Bullet with a Party of 100 men was escorting 15 Waggons